

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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## INSPECTION REPORT

Partial XXX Complete	eExploration
Inspection Date: 05/28/2002/ T	Гime: <u>11:30am-2:30pm</u>
Date of Last I	nspection: 04/30/2002

Mine Name: <u>SUFCO Mine</u>	County: Sevier	Permit Number: <u>C/041/002</u>			
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Canyon Fuel Company					
Business Address: 397 South 800 West, Salina, Utah 84564					
Company Official(s): Mike					
State Official(s): Stephe	n J. Demczak Federal C	fficial(s): None			
Weather Conditions: Warm,	70's, Sunny				
Type of Mining Activity: Und	erground XXX Surface	Prep PlantOther			
	24632.95 Disturbed 27.364				
Status: <u>Active</u>					

## REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
  - For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
  - For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

		<b>EVALUATED</b>	N/A	COMMENTS	NOV/ENF
1.	PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE	[X]	$\Gamma$	[X]	
2.	SIGNS AND MARKERS	$\Box$	$\Box$	$\Box$	
3.	TOPSOIL		ĹÌ	$\Box$	
4.	HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:		-		
a.	DIVERSIONS	[X]	Ш	[X]	$\Box$
b.	SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	[X]	ĹĬ	[X]	
c.	OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES		Ĺĺ		$\Box$
d.	WATER MONITORING	[X]	Ĺĺ	[X]	
e.	EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	[.]	Ĺĺ		
5.	EXPLOSIVES	$\Box$			$\Box$
6.	DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES				
7.	COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS	[X]		[X]	
8.	NONCOAL WASTE	[X]		[X]	
9.	PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED				
	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES		$\Box$		$\Box$
10.	SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE				
11.	CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION		· [_]		
12.	BACKFILLING AND GRADING	ĹÌ			
13.	REVEGETATION				
14.	SUBSIDENCE CONTROL				$\Box$
15.	CESSATION OF OPERATIONS				
16.	ROADS:				
a.	CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING		$\Box$		$\Box$
b.	DRAINAGE CONTROLS				
17.	OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES				$\Box$
18.	SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	[X]		[X]	
19.	AVS CHECK (4th Quarter- April, May, June)			. [_]	$\Box$
20.	AIR QUALITY PERMIT			$\Box$	
21.	BONDING & INSURANCE	[ ]	[ ]	[]	[]

#### INSPECTION REPORT

(Continuation Sheet)

PERMIT NUMBER: <u>C/041/002</u>

DATE OF INSPECTION: 5/28/2002

(COMMENTS ARE NUMBERED TO CORRESPOND WITH TOPICS LISTED ABOVE)

# 1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE

The permittee has the Link Canyon Portal amendment being reviewed by the Division. The review of this amendment is scheduled to be completed by June 5, 2002.

# 4A. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: DIVERSIONS

The diversions were spot inspected with no water flow. The diversions complied with the R645 Coal Rules.

## 4B. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS

The sediment ponds were inspected with no hazardous conditions noticed. The mine site sediment pond was inspected on March 27, 2002 and the refuse pond inspected on March 25, 2002. The permittee has conducted an annual sediment pond inspection on September 27, 2001. This report was P.E. certified by Wesley K. Sorensen Badge No. 159457. No hazardous conditions were reported.

### 4D. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: WATER MONITORING

The permittee has entered the fourth quarter water information into the Electronic Water Data System. Water monitoring for the first quarter is not required.

# 7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS

The refuse pile was inspected on the way to the SUFCO office. There were no hazardous conditions noticed during the inspection. Some refuse material was stacked-up and will be used to construct another lift.

#### 8. NONCOAL WASTE

The area was basically clear of non-coal waste material.

#### 18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS

The permittee has finished in the construction of the two 10,000-gallon culinary water tanks. These tanks are to supply additional water to the bathhouse. The Division approved this project last year.

Inspector's Signature:

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Date: June 3, 2002

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining.

cc: James Fulton, OSM

Ken May, Canyon Fuel

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